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Arrangements Completed for Dairy and Alfalfa Campaign

Dates Set Are December 5th to 14th Inclusive.—Interest- ing Program Planned

Arrangements have been completed with the Dairy Department and the Farm Crops Department of the Michigan Agricultural College for the staging of the Dairy and Alfalfa Campaign to be put on in St. Clair County next week in co-operation with the Farm Bureau, Farmers' Clubs, Granges, Cleaners and other local organizations.

During the campaign there will be two meetings held each day, one in the afternoon and one in the evening. These meetings have been arranged, as near as possible, all parts of the county.

Mr. J. A. Waldron, Dairy Extension Specialist, and his assistants will have charge of that part of the program dealing with the milk and dairy. They have selected as one of their slogans, "Curtailed milk production by the elimination of unprofitable cows, scrub bulls and tubercular cattle."

Prof. J. F. Cox, of the Farm Crops Department and his assistants will have charge of that part of the program dealing with alfalfa and will discuss the growing of alfalfa and its use in relation to milk production.

A special feature of this program will be a moving picture consisting of a film entitled "Out of the Shadows," telling the story of tuberculosis on the farm and in the family. There will also be a dairy film undoubtedly depicting the value of using purebred sires in the herd. In addition to this arrangements are being made for a good comedy.

These meetings are open to the general public and the program will be one which will interest the farmer, but the farmer's wife and children. It is hoped that all the women and children may see the picture, "Out of the Shadows." Below is the program arranged for the campaign:

Afternoon meetings will start promptly at 1:30, and evening meetings at 7:30.

Wednesday, Dec. 7, Capac, at Maccabee hall, evening.

Thursday, Dec. 8, Yale Cream Station Hall, afternoon.

Thursday, Dec. 9, Avoca, hall over post office, evening.

Friday, Dec. 9, Fargo, M. P. church, afternoon.

Tuesday, Dec. 13, Emmett, Dewey Hall, evening.

Wednesday, Dec. 14, Port Huron; round-up meeting at Farm Bureau office, 10 a. m.

Silver Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slosser entertained about 30 of their relatives on Thanksgiving, it being their 25th or silver wedding anniversary. Although the day was none too pleasant outside, all was sunshine and happiness within. Mrs. Slosser served a bountiful meal at noon. When all partook of the feast they pronounced it fine and expressed themselves thankful for being favored at this time.

The day was spent in rehearsing remembrances of the past and congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Slosser on passing twenty-five years of happy wedded life, also wishing that they might live to celebrate their golden wedding day.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were given by the guests.

WILL HAVE CAMP SITE

Port Huron has decided that it must have a free auto camp where automobile tourists, carrying camping outfits may pitch their tents for the night. The camp site has not yet been definitely settled upon but one will be leased before the 1922 tourist season, and signs will be sent south to be put up along main roads leading north, advertising the fact of a free camp at Port Huron.

What would make a better gift than The Expositor for one year.

Presbyterian Ladies' Bazaar On For Next Week

Thursday, December 8th, the ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual bazaar in the new basement of the re-constructed church.

This will be the opening of the newly arranged rooms and everybody will come to have a look around and incidentally to select something or other from the various booths for Christmas gifts or articles which they have a use for themselves, or some home baking or candy.

There will be something in every line for everybody and when you feel tired and need a bit of refreshment there will be tables and chairs and delicious hot chocolate and wafers, and by the way, the ladies have planned one booth a little out of the ordinary, something unique.

This will be a booth devoted wholly to chocolate—chocolate for drinks, desserts, icings, candies etc.; chocolate bars for eating, almond, peanut, mint, coconut. One cannot afford to pass by this attractive place, because while chocolate is relished by everybody it is besides almost a complete food. Come prepared to buy your Christmas here and your winter's supply of cooking chocolate.

There will be an ample space for staple articles, aprons, underwear, house dresses, etc., etc., which will meet the housewife's need; another for the wonderful bits of fancy work done by artistic fingers; a handsome collection of Japanese wares of all kinds; the usual home made candy booth, and the usual good baking.

There will also be some pleasing surprises which you must not miss.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will be waiting for you and ready to wait on you next week.

They will appreciate your presence.

OBITUARY

Henry C. Mansfield, aged 80 years, died at General Hospital, Bay City, Monday evening, Nov. 28th, 1921. He was taken from his home in Pinconning to the hospital about two weeks ago and underwent an operation.

Mr. Mansfield was born at Memphis where he grew to manhood, and when the Civil war broke out in 1861 he answered his country's call and enlisted in the Union Army, spending four and one-half years in the service. After the war closed he returned to Memphis. Married Henrietta Granger May 6, 1869, and to this union two children were born, Lewis and Mary, both of whom have since died. For a number of years he was in the general store business in Memphis. In 1882 he was elected register of deeds for St. Clair county and held this office for three terms. For the past thirty-five years he has been in the grocery business in Pinconning. Last spring he sold his grocery and retired from active business life.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield spent the past summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Menzies in this city.

The body of deceased was taken from Bay City to Pinconning, where funeral services will be held Friday afternoon from the home. Burial in the local cemetery.

Mrs. James Guy died at her farm home northwest of Yale on Sunday, Nov. 27th, 1921, aged 79 years, 9 months and 2 days.

Fannie Elston was born in England April 25th, 1842, and came to this country when only a small girl. She married James Guy a number of years ago.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Protestant church Tuesday, Nov. 29th, and burial took place at Elmwood cemetery. Rev. C. F. Stroup officiating.

Do your Xmas shopping early.

The End of a Perfect Day



YALE SCORE, 13:

DECKERVILLE GETS 0

Of course after we read the write-up in the Recorder about the "bear cats," we really expected our poor little "wild cats" would receive a severe drubbing at the hands of the Deckerville Hi on Thanksgiving afternoon. We journeyed down to the "grid" feeling like the little boy when his father invited him out to the woodshed. We had nothing to say. But, oh, boy! After we got a glimpse of our "wild cats" in action we quickly recovered our spirits and cheered with the bunch of "school ma'ams." It was a cinch for the locals. From the first foot of the whistle our kids stood the visitors on their heads and did about as they liked. Only once did the Deckerville boys come anywhere near the goal.

They tried hard enough, goodness knows, but our team stood up with a solid front and held them down. The first touch-down was made in the first quarter by Pollock, and the second in third quarter by Slosser. And let us tell you the entire team played a good fast game.

The visitors are a good clean, gentlemanly bunch of boys, and took their defeat cheerfully realizing that they were up against a crowd of superior players.

A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT

Two horrible accidents occurred within a few minutes of each other about midnight Thursday last when two automobiles went through the guard gates and the open draw into Black river at Tenth street, Port Huron. The streets and approaches were sleeted and icy and the warning lights of the watchman not noticed quickly enough. Mrs. Earl Minnie, driver of one machine, and Mrs. A. E. Gerry, who was with her were both drowned. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Henson, in the other machine, were saved by swimming to piles, where they hung until rescued by sailors in boats from the steamer Grunnell, which had just gone through the draw and which was the reason for the bridge being open.

CHURCH DINNER

Menu for dinner at the M. E. church Friday from 5:30 until all are served:— Mashed potatoes, baked ham, dressing and brown gravy, scalloped corn, pickles, jello, coffee, fruit pudding and cream sauce.

The annual meeting of Brockway Farm Bureau local will be held in the City of Yale on Saturday, Dec. 10th. All members requested to be present. W. A. Cavanagh, secretary.

A WORD TO ADVERTISERS

From now until New Years it is positively necessary that advertising copy gets into our hands not later than Tuesday evening.

Delayed "copy" has a tendency to delay publication and we are determined always to get the paper out and in the mails on time. To this end we must get the ad set so they can be printed promptly.

We are sure our advertisers will appreciate our position, especially during the holiday rush, and so co-operate with us in complying with our request.

Advertising received after Tuesday will have to be held over for the week following.

MEETINGS CLOSED

The special meetings at the Free Methodist church began Nov. 13, and continued over three Sundays. Rev. N. C. Beskin, the evangelist being a converted Jew and an unusually forceful preacher as well, attracted the attention of many. Large crowds attended the services, some of whom were converted.

The service the last Sunday afternoon was held in the Methodist Episcopal church and was attended by nearly 600 people. The closing service was held in the Free Methodist church on Sunday night, and seven who were converted during the meetings joined the church on probation.

A Most Interesting Sight

One of the most interesting and nicest sights to lovers of good cattle, was witnessed Saturday afternoon when Robt. W. Baker, enterprising East China farmer, drove a herd of about 30 Herefords to his farm on the River Road, north of Marine City. They comprised milch cows, heifers and calves, and with their big white faces, large horns and beautiful markings, were a very pretty sight. They were purchased from T. B. S. Sotham, of St. Clair, he having brought them in from Iowa two weeks ago.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Yale, Mich., Dec. 28, 1921
Mrs. Ed Zingo
Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Edgerton
Dan Barnes
Mrs. W. B. Lewis Decker
Joe Budack
George Allmann
Lela Dawson
E. W. Farley P. M.

Special—If you need a coat, suit, dress or waist, "we have it for you." For proof read our ad on another page of this issue.

J. I. ROSENTHAL

Shop early for Christmas.

WILL SPEND YEAR IN JACKSON PRISON

John Vogele, who refused to hire a lawyer for his trial on a charge of manufacturing "white mule" on the ground that he would need all his money to get to Toledo after the court discharged him, has postponed his trip to the Ohio city for one year. He will spend the year in Jackson prison, Judge Harvey Tappan decided.

Mr. Vogele's home was raided by Sheriff Harrison W. Maines about four months ago and a still a quantity of whiskey and a barrel of mash confiscated.

After stipulating the sentence Judge Tappan issued the following statement:

"The jury found Vogele guilty of manufacturing and selling 'white mule,' a deadly poison liquor. Analysis showed it contained 86 per cent alcohol. A man who drank a small portion was paralyzed for 24 hours.

"In another case a half pint of 'white mule' poisoned and paralyzed a boy of 15 years for nearly a week. Other men have been made blind by its use.

"There is just one place for any man who manufactures and sells such deadly poison and that is in the state's prison."

AUCTION SALES

On account of poor health the undersigned will sell by public auction at the premises 2 miles east and 3/4 mile north of Fargo, or 9 miles east and 1 mile south of Yale, on Tuesday, Dec. 6th, farm live stock, some agricultural implements, etc. Sale starts at one o'clock p. m., sharp. Usual terms. Fred Smith, auctioneer.

Robt. Giddings, Prop.

Mrs. Josephine Sweeney, having decided to move to Ohio, will sell by public auction at her residence, North Main street, City of Yale, on Saturday, Dec. 10th, all of her household goods, etc. Sale at one o'clock p. m., sharp. Fred Smith, auctioneer.

Dennis Martin Heron

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Heron, northeast of Yale, was saddened on Saturday evening, Nov. 19, when their baby, Dennis Martin, passed away to his eternal home.

Dennis was born May 23, 1921. He was a delicate child but the parents had hopes of him gaining his health.

Services were held in Sacred Heart church, Yale, Rev. James Melling officiating. Interment in Sacred Heart cemetery.

The ladies aid of the M. P. church will hold their annual Bazaar and Bake Sale Saturday, Dec. 3, in the church parlors.

Neighborhood News Items Boiled Down

EFFICIENCY OF THE YALE SCHOOLS

Some may recall that about a year ago some data concerning the efficiency of Yale schools was announced.

It was found that the efficiency was about 75 per cent, and that the number of repeaters was 45 in the grades. A repeater is one who spends more than a year to the grade. These 45 children being taught over and over means the retaining of one more teacher than otherwise would be necessary. Through good teaching and regular attendance it was stated that within three or four years the extra teacher could be eliminated. The efficiency of our schools has been worked out again and the results are as follows:

The efficiency of a school is made up of two factors, the relation of the number of pupils finishing the eighth year of work to the average number of beginners and the relation of the number of pupils we would have in the grades if all progressed normally to the number of pupils we actually have.

Deducting for increase in population, we have 27 pupils in the eighth grade, which, with the number of beginners (29) gives us the fraction 27-29. Since there would be at the present time 29 x 8 or 232 pupils in the grades if all progressed normally, and we have 265, we have the other factor, 232-265. Thus the efficiency of the school is 27-29ths x 232-265ths, equal 80 per cent.

This means that our efficiency has raised 5 per cent during the past year. A perfectly running school is one having an efficiency of 87 to 90 per cent. This is due to the fact that some pupils are removed by death, while some with physical or mental defects can not progress normally.

Hence we have a margin of 7 to 10 per cent with which to increase the efficiency of Yale schools.

Last year there were 45 repeaters, this year 33, meaning a reduction of 12 repeaters. Since the cost of instruction in the grades was found to be \$37.61 per pupil, the reduction of the repeaters saves the district \$37.61 x 12, or \$451.32.

The raising of the efficiency of our schools was possible through the co-operation of the parents in securing regular attendance of the children, and efficient work on the part of our teachers. With the regular attendance of the children this year the chances are that the efficiency of our schools will be raised still more during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted
A. T. Greenman, Supt.

THE NEWSPAPER

There are some people who take the view that a newspaper is a garbage bucket into which anything may be dumped. Mistake No. 1. There are some people who think that a newspaper is published only to serve a selfish interest and throw the harpoon into the other fellow. Mistake No. 2. There are some people who think that a newspaper should print what is obviously advertising matter without a cent of compensation. Mistake No. 3. There are many other similar mistakes with regard to the publication of a newspaper, but these will answer for the moment.

True it is that a newspaper gives away much, especially where charity is concerned, but it does not follow that the publisher should adopt charity as an established custom and open the door freely to all comers. Space is the only thing that a newspaper has to sell, and the publisher that gives it away is no wiser than the merchant who gives away a hat or a suit of clothes to a man who comes into his store and takes them—Burlington (N. J.) Enterprise.

Expositor Liners Pay.

Items Taken From Newspapers of Neighboring Towns and Villages

Melvin people are planning a Community Christmas tree to be given in the Opera House.

Burglars entered thirty-five homes in Detroit on Thanksgiving day, getting small sums mostly.

Port Huron's new emergency hospital is just about complete, and will soon be ready to care for contagious diseases.

The "Community Club" of Marine City, has adopted a slogan for its city. It is "Marine City on the St. Clair River."

The first 1922 gathering of the American Legion Posts of this district will be held sometime in January in Port Huron.

The Grand Trunk shops in Port Huron, are now operating full blast, six days a week, eight hours a day, with a force of 650 men.

Capac now has a new lock-up with new steel cells, with strong bolts, bars and locks. The citizens are now feeling quite contented.

St. Clair's city council has ordered all slot machines, punch boards and other gambling devices to be eliminated from all business places.

The South Lyon Herald is being offered for sale. Mrs. A. K. Pierce, widow of the late publisher, who has been conducting the paper, is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ritschler of Port Huron, celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding on November 23rd, when forty friends were present.

The Richmond Review moved into new quarters last week and no business was done with the public during the two days in which it took to move and settle.

The four Holmes Foundry plants, three in Port Huron and one in Romeo, are employing 1200 men, and have enough orders on hand to be going all winter.

Deckerville Presbyterians are planning on building a handsome new church home next spring, to take the place of the present edifice. The new building will be commodious and modern.

Henry Stipe, the youthful jail breaker who got a five to ten year sentence for assault on Frank Gillam at the jail in Port Huron, was taken to Jackson prison on Wednesday, last week.

Saturday, November 26, Prof. Geo. M. Bice, of Lexington, was 80 years of age. He goes to Deckerville each week to direct a band, which goes to prove that he is an exceptionally active man for his age.

John Froh, jr., 32 years old, of Marine City, was killed when a Rapid Limited struck his car at the Recor's Point crossing on Friday last. Froh either did not hear the warning whistle, or thought he could get across first.

At a special election held recently in Marlette, the question of granting a 30-year franchise and selling the municipal electric light plant to Blackmore & Green, a private corporation, was carried by an overwhelming majority, the vote standing 129 for and 10 against.

The Farmers' Co-operative elevator at Marlette, burned to the ground at midnight on November 23rd, with nothing saved. All the grain and seed in the building besides 6,500 bushels of beans, was a total loss. The loss was covered by insurance and the elevator will be rebuilt.

Don't wait until the last moment to do your Christmas shopping. Buy while the assortment is full and complete. Buy useful things and buy within your means.